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EDITORIAL COMMENT

By NORMAN H. PARKS, Publisher Register

FILTH, THE GREATEST OF ALL VICES

The condition of Niles' streets is pitiful and disgraceful.

And nothing is done!

And nothing, municipally speaking, can be done. The place is not incorporated, a most inconceivable thing in a town with the population and wealth that is credited to Niles.

For a long time the county played wet-nurse to the town. It did for Niles what Niles should have done for itself—attend to its civic duties and affairs. And then one day the county quit the job, because the state took over First street and called it a state highway. With a deficit of thirty million and growing daily, Sacramento decided to let Niles' streets run with filth, if the poeple here did not have pride enough to clean up the rubbish themselves.

Some people in Niles still have pride. They bury one pride to give another birth. Sweeping up the street in front of one's place of business is not the job of the people who work in a store or a newspaper office, so the boss himself must get out with a garbage can and a broom, pocket his pride, and become a street-sweeper; or let nature take its dirty course. Most of the people are letting nature carry the burden.

What are we going to do about it? Well for one, the writer is tired of suggesting remedies, never acted upon. If the town wants to go dirty, that's the town's business, and we are not going to make it ours. Our duty lies in front of the Register office, and we hope the appearance is above criticism, for we, while wielding a pen wickedly, also wield a broom with industry.

As a parting shot, and in our well-known vein of sarcasm we suggest that as long as Alameda county has kicked us out as a bastard child, we seek out Secretary John Collier, head of the Indian affairs, at Wahington. We might get the town declared an Indian reservation. Becoming wards of the federal government our troubles would be over. We would get a bath every week and a ration of rum.

"STARTLING" ESCAPE

A federal prisoner returning from Seattle with deputy United States marshals, where he had been taken to testify in some case or other, escaped by breaking a window and leaping to freedom. The remarkable thing about the episode was that the man had escaped three times previously. He was understood to be a wily individual and a dangerous crook. He was unshackled, and escaped while being allowed to "exercise."

Have you ever read the story of Norfleet, the Texas cattleman, who being buncoed out of $42,000, turned detective and after four or five years of superhuman effort, tracked down and jailed every one of the five men who participated in the swindle? He got little support from the police and district attorneys. A little article on district attorneys, of local interest, appears in the pages of the Texan's story. After you read this book, then nothing will surprise you. Escapes will no longer appear clever. Bunco men—and Alameda county has had its share—finally wriggling out of the laws' toils, will also, upon a broader political education, not surprise you.

Read the book. It will make you think. And the way you vote afterward may clarify the political situation considerably.

VANISHED

The Blue Eagle must have flown away with the Forgotten Man. We never hear tell of any of 'em hereabouts. Where be they gone?

COMING EVENTS CAST THEIR SHADOWS BEFORE

REGISTER'S FRATERNAL, SOCIAL AND AMUSEMENT CALENDAR

Jan. 7—Junior Chamber. Florence Restaurant, 7:00 p. m.
Jan. 8—Arts and Crafts meet; J. C. Shinn home, 7:30 p. m.
Jan. 22—Chamber of Commerce card party, Veterans Memorial building, 8:00 p. m.
Jan 23.—Hazel Circle, Neighbors Woodcraft installation— I. O. O. F. Hall—8:00 p. m.

BEET GROWERS GET CROP ALLOTMENTS FOR 1935 AND 1936

200 Growers In South County To Plant For Next Year

More than 200 sugar beet growers in southern Alameda county were awarded acreage allotments for sugar beet raising during the years 1935 and 1936, it was announced last Thursday by T. O. Morrison, county farm advisor. Planting of several large tracts of beets in Washington township is already under way.

Applications for acreage were made by the growers the first week in December, and the past two weeks were spent by the advisory board, elected by the growers, in checking each applicant's previous acreage and tonnage for the past five years.

Members of the advisory board are Adolph Oliver, Centerville, chairman, assisted by E. D. Lewis, also of Centerville, and Zack Thompson, of Mountain View.

Basis of acreage allotted to each grower was the average tonnage and acreage of any number of years from 1929 to 1934, Morrison said. A grower could take his two, three or four best years, obtain their averages in tonnage and acreage and base his application on that figure. The figures were checked, the advisor declared, to protect the older established growers against the application of many newcomers.

Comparison of each grower's figures with figures of the Holly Sugar Company, at Alvarado, was made by the advisory committee to help them in computing the acreage to be allotted.

Want ads deliver the goods.

HUNT HOME BURNED THURSDAY NIGHT; $10,000 LOSS

Thought to have started from a defective fireplace flue, a blaze that called Niles firemen from their beds at midnight Thursday night, destroyed the home of Mrs H. R. Hunt, on the Niles Mission highway. Estimated loss was approximately $10,000.

Starting in the wall beside the fireplace, the blaze was well under way when Mrs. Hunt, smelling smoke, got up to investigate. She discovered the entire living room in flames. Calling her daughter, Mrs. Clarence Waldner, and the latter's three children, Mrs. Hunt notified the Niles fire department, then gathered what clothing and personal effects she could. She and the four others were driven from the house almost immediately by the fire.

So rapid was the spread of the flames, that neighbors, who had formed a bucket brigade in an attempt to stem the conflagration, abandoned their try and saved what furniture and fixtures they could. Comparatively little was saved.

Niles firemen, responding to the alarm, were handicapped by lack of hydrant connections. The house, a pillar of flames when the firemen arrived, was totally destroyed. It was a seven-room frame building. Among other things lost, was a quantity of valuable crockery and silverware, and numerous irreplaceable furnishings and pictures.

Miss Lurena Chenery, Niles Grammar school teacher, who lives with Mrs. Hunt, was with her parents in Long Beach. She and Mrs. Hunt will take up temporary residence in a home owned by Philip Moore, on Morrison avenue.

STUDENTS WILL RETURN TO LOCAL SCHOOLS MONDAY

Spring Term Begins In Washington Township On January 7

Schools throughout Washington township will open their doors for the spring term Monday to throngs of district children. In nearly all of the buildings work has been done, painting, refinishing desks, and so on.

At the Washington Union high school, classes will be resumed with all of the former teaching staff back. Mrs. Paul Hawkinson, the former Miss Jessie Godfrey, social science teacher, will retain her position until the end of the term.

Night school classes, under the supervision of W. Olsen, night principal, will start Monday night. An added feature to the night school class in literature, conducted by Wesley Dexter Gordon, will be a survey of contemporary American fiction, beginning with Richard Melville, author of "Moby Dick," down to the present day writers. Gordon's class in dramatics will announce the date for its first public offering during the next few weeks.

The Niles grammar school will open Monday morning to several hundred local children. The teaching staff will remain the same. Miss Cecile Enos, first grade teacher, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis, is expected to be back with her class.

According to Pen Murphy, member of the board of trustees, there has been considerable work done in the building during the vacation. The cafeteria tables have been refinished, floors oiled and minor repairs made.

Opening Monday, the Centerville grammar school, will note the loss of its beloved and long time principal, Joseph Dias, who died last week. His place will be filled by Thomas Maloney. Another teacher was appointed Wednesday afternoon at a special board meeting to complete the teaching staff.

Father O'Conner Held Blameless In Accident

The Rev. Father Emmet O'Conner, Niles priest was absolved of all blame in an accident Thursday night in Oakland, in which R. Baker, a negro, was killed. Baker, a pedestrian, was struck by Father O'Conner's car when he stepped directly into its path. The priest was driving from the auto ferry. The accident occurred on the Oakland mole.

Witnesses are said to have stated that as far as Father O'Conner was concerned, the accident was unavoidable. It was revealed at the inquest that Baker had been contemplating suicide.

Itinerant Recovering From Poison Effects

L. Flores, itinerant, is recovering this week from effects of poisoning suffered Sunday night.

Flores knocked at the door of Jesus Jaramilla's home in Old Niles early Monday and asked assistance, stating that he was dying. Jaramilla notified townspeople, and Frank Nunes took the stricken man to the office of a local physician for treatment. Mrs. O. W. Ebright was notified, but found the man sufficiently improved to warrant his remaining here rather than taking him to the hospital.

BONDS RATIFIED FOR NEW WARM SPRINGS GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Voters Pass on Issue Last Wednesday By Vote Of 95 to 9

A modern school building, to replace the ancient frame structure at Warm Springs, will be under construction soon, after the voters ratified a $35,000 bond issue last Wednesday by a vote of 95 to 9.

One of the oldest school buildings in the county, the present structure at Warm Springs has long been regarded by the trustees and leading citizens as a firetrap, unsuitable to modern conditions. The old school was built along lines prevalent in the '90' — square, tall, two-storied, with dangerous chimneys and cupolas over the stairways.

The campaign for the new building was conducted by members of the board of trustees and by leading citizens of the Warm Springs district.

NILES WOMAN WINS RECOGNITION IN POETRY WORLD

Nell Farrington Myers, Niles poet, whose verse has attracted attention throughout the nation as representative of American lyric poetry, was signally honored this week by an invitation to submit a listing for "Who's Who In American Poetry," a forthcoming volume to be published by the Galleon Press.

Mrs. Myers received a personal request to appear in the work from Gerta Alson, poetry editor of the famous publishing house. The editor stated in her letter to Mrs. Myers that the latter's work warrants the inclusion of her name with those of people who are doing important and promising work in America today.

The completed volume will be used as a standard reference work by editors and publishers throughout the country. The fact that Mrs. Myers name will appear in it, will be of inestimable value to her future work.

The honor extended to the local poet came only shortly after several of her pieces were published in "American Lyric Poetry," published last spring.

Mrs. Myers has been a member of the California Pen Women's association for some time.

FATHER OF LOCAL TEACHER DIES LAST WEEK

The death of Hugh L. Kibby, of Sacramento, father of Hugh M. Kibby, instructor at the Washington Union High school, was made known here Saturday. He passed away on December 27.

The elder Kibby, formerly of San Jose, was 85 years of age. He had not been in good health for some time. He was a native of Ohio.

In addition to Hugh Kibby, of Niles, another son, Ira Kibby, of Sacramento, and two daughters—Mrs. Ella Long, of San Jose; and Mrs. Grace Jordan, of Point Arena, survive. A sister, Mrs. Nellie Madison, of Planewell, Michigan, is living.

Funeral was Monday, December 31, at San Jose. Interment was at the Oak Hill cemetery in that city.

Farrington Dairy—pure Jersey milk and cream.—S6tfc

MARKETING PACT TO BE DRAWN FOR 1935 'COT CROP

Negotiations To Be Taken Up Where Left Off Last Year

A marketing agreement for the California apricot industry during the 1935 season, whether under the AAA or the California pro-rate act will be sought at a statewide meeting of representatives in Berkeley on January 10.

This information was made known last week by Lyman Lantz, chairman of the apricot commodity committee of the Santa Clara county farm bureau, after meeting with officials of the California Prune and Apricot Growers' Association.

The movement, sponsored by the California farm bureau federation, will take up where preliminary negotiations were dropped last year. The late start of the initial negotiations, together with complications in the crop survey, and finally the extremely short crop, led to abandonment of the idea last time.

Lantz stated that the plan in mind is relatively simple, although the fact that apricots have dried, canned and fresh outlets, makes for a complicated set-up.

LOCAL DEMOCRATS WILL ATTEND CONCLAVE

Thomas Power, of Irvington, and John Hunter, of Niles, will be two of a group of seven delegates from this congressional district to attend a state-wide Democratic conclave to be held at the Hotel St. Claire, San Jose, on Jackson Day, January 8.

Supporting the San Jose gathering are Democrats representing every so-called faction in the recent elections: Sinclairites, Creelites, Wardellites, and the several minor groups which functioned in the primary campaign. Noticeable by their absence, however, will be the defeated leaders of these factions, it was pointed out by the northern California group chairman, Dr. J. M. McDonnell.

Both Hunter and Power were active politically here during the recent elections.

LATE DECEMBER RAINS INCREASE SEASONAL TOTAL

1934, a year of startling activities, torrid politics and topsy-turvy weather died a cold, clear death Monday at midnight, after the last few days had brought the rainfall total for the season to 9.50 inches, almost twice the total for 1933 at the same date.

Rain fell here on Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, the days bringing respectively .35, .55, .05 and .45 inches. December 31 was cold and misty in the morning, but no rain fell.

FROM NEW YORK

Mrs. Fay Thane Perry has returned to San Francisco after a year's stay in England and France and several months stay in New York and Washington, D. C. She came to Niles Tuesday for a visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thane.

THOMAS MALONEY NAMED PRINCIPAL AT CENTERVILLE

Appointed At Special Board Meeting Held Saturday

Vice principal and instructor at the Centerville Grammar school for the past five years, Thomas Maloney was Saturday appointed to the principalship of that institution to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Joseph Dias, longtime school head. The appointment was made at a special meeting of the board of trustees.

Maloney has had charge of the seventh and eighth grades at the Centerville school during his years here, and was also athletic instructor. In the latter respect, he is qualified by his reputation as an outstanding athlete of the San Jose State Teachers' College, where he captained both the baseball and basketball teams during his senior year.

In addition to his degree from San Jose State college, Maloney has administrative credentials from Stanford University.

Active in social life in Centerville, and a favorite among the school children, Maloney bears with him the confidence of the community in his new reponsibility.

JAPANESE LEAGUE INAUGURAL SET FOR TONIGHT

Inaugural ceremonies for the Japanese - American Citizens League of Washington Township will be held tonight at the Washington Union High school auditorium. Program will begin at 7 o'clock p. m.

Formed several months ago by young Japanese in the district, the organization is to further acquisition of the American point-of-view, and lay the basis for excellent citizenship. The group will also discuss current events and national and local problems.

Among speakers at tonight's ceremony will be S. Kido, of San Francisco, executive secretary of the national chapter, Japanese-American citizens' league, who will address the gathering on the meaning and function of the organization. T. Kato, of Warm Springs, will tell the parents' view point. M. Fugita, president of the Japanese Association of Alvarado, will speak. Harry Konda, president of the new organization, will preside.

An entertainment, under the E. Dixon Bristow, who was to speak, could not attend.

chairmanship of Yasuto Kato, will follow the inaugural function. High point of the program will be a three-act play written and directed by Masato Shinkawa, former Mission San Jose school pupil. The play, theme of which is laid in Japan, will be staged in customary Japanese fashion.

Japanese dances or "odori" will be put on by forty-five Japanese girls in native costume. There will be a sword dance by four Japanese boys. Music will be furnished by a five-piece orchestra, sponsored by the new organization.

NEW ADS THIS WEEK

FOR LEASE—Two-acre poultry ranch on California Nursery road. Address owner. H.M. Wellington, 459 Monterey avenue, Los Gatos, Calif. J3-10c

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HEY UNK!
LISSEN, UNK! I JUST BUMPED INTO A PROPOSITION AT'LL MAKE ME LOTS O' DOLLARS!-SURE THING!-SCADS O' PROFIT! CAN'T LOSE-AIN'T GOT NOTHIN TO LOSE-AN'-
HUMPH!
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ALL I GOTTA DO IS FIND SOME POOR FISH WHO'LL LET ME TAKE A THOUSAND OR SO--
YEAH! BUT WHERE Y' GONNA FIND THAT POOR FISH T' LET YOU TAKE ALL O' THAT JACK?
SAP
WHY, WOULDN'T YOU DO IT??

. . . Strange As It May Seem . . .

THE SALMON NEVER REACHES ITS FULL GROWTH - IT GROWS AS LONG AS IT LIVES
65%-?-GOSH, I THOUGHT IT WAS 100%!
65%
OF MEN'S NECKWEAR IS BOUGHT BY WOMEN —
THEY ARE STILL MY CHILDREN, THOUGH!
THERE ARE OVER 40,000,000 PEOPLE IN THE UNITED STATES WHO'S BIRTHS HAVE NEVER BEEN RECORDED

LIBYA DIGS DEEPER INTO NORTH AFRICA

Given Additional Territory by Three Nations.

Washington. — Libya, Italy's colonial possession in northern Africa, has been enlarged by a British-Egyptian gift of land adjoining it in the Anglo-Egyptian Sudan. News dispatches from Rome also indicate that France will cede to Italy her Saharan territory of Tibesti, bordering on southern Libya and touching the new accession from Great Britain and Egypt.

"Libya, without the additional territory, is more than twice as large as the state of Texas," says the National Geographic society. "While official limits of the African territory ceded by Great Britain and Egypt have not been announced, it lies approximately between the 19th and 24th degrees of east longitude, and the 19th and 22nd degrees of north latitude. The area is triangular-shaped desert land, 300 miles long on its northern, and 200 on its eastern edge.

Largely Uninhabited.

"Tibesti is a mountainous region south of the Tropic of Cancer, lying just west and south of the triangle. It is now a part of French Sudan and is situated approximately between the 15th and 20th degrees of east longitude, and the 20th and 24th degrees of north latitude. The effect of these joint cessions will be to extend Italian Libya some 200 miles deeper into central Africa.

"Emi Kusi, the highest mountain in the Sahara, towers over surrounding Tibesti peaks in the region proposed to be ceded to Italy by France. The Tibestian massif comprises a succession of peaks, gaps, and dried-up river beds rather than a mountain chain, extending into the desert region ceded by Great Britain and Egypt.

"Water sources in Tibesti are frequent, but good pasturage areas are rare. Temperatures are mild near the base of mountains and icy-cold near the summits—seldom, if ever, below freezing, however. Date and palm trees grow in Tibesti and besides camels there are goats and donkeys. Except for a few nomadic tribes — Koussada, Toubou, and some Senussi—the region is for the most part uninhabited.

Lack Water and Pastures.

"Presenting a more orthodox desert aspect than the proposed French cession, the Anglo-Egyptian territorial gift is a broad tableland of shifting sands, occasional mountain regions, little pasturage, practically no rain, a hot climate, long caravan routes broken by scattered wells, oases at widely separated points, and few inhabitations.

"Water supplies may be replenished at the well of Sarra, located in a stretch of hard, reddish sandstone 160 miles south and west of Kufra in Italian Libya. Let southeast-bound caravans drink deeply, however, because it is 500 miles to the next oasis at Unianga, French Sudan, over a route containing no pasturage. Many camels have been sacrificed on this journey. Pasturage has been found 90 miles to the east of Sarra in an unexplored mountain mass not exceeding 150 to 200 square miles, and estimated to reach a height of 4,000 feet.

"Oases are nearer on routes north of Sarra. The Arkenu, in the southwest corner of Egypt, and the Ouenat, in Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, are not far away, although it is believed that the latter has not been included in the British-Egyptian cession. Still farther north is the oasis of Kufra, Italian Libya the last stronghold of a once powerful religious sect, the Senussi.

"Industrious, the Senussi have succeeded in growing melons, bananas, grapes, and some vegetables at Kufra. Olive trees and many date trees are grown while chickens and pigeons are raised, and camels, sheep, donkeys, and a few horses are bred. Kufra once was the trading center for camel caravans from the south. South and west of the Sarra well, the new accession comprises desert, sand dunes, zones of occasional dry grass affording meager grazing for camels, shifting sands, and no habitations."

"Baltimore of England"

As the largest city in Essex outside the London area, Colchester is an important farming and shopping center as well as the "Baltimore of England" for sea food. In England, too, Colchester is nearly as noted for its roses as for its oysters. Thousands of beautiful blossoms are raised annually in Colchester nurseries and shipped to London markets.

Girl Turning to Stone, Is Saved by Physicians

Los Angeles.—Facing almost certain death four months ago as a sufferer from calcinos, a disease that has stricken only 22 other persons in medical history, Trudy von Rayensberg, pretty nineteen-year-old high school graduate, virtually has recovered and is looking for a job.

When her case came to the attention of the orthopedic clinic at General hospital four months ago the girl's limbs were incased partly in stony shells and the area of calcification seemed to be increasing.

A diet deficient in calcium, prescribed on the theory that too much lime would increase the stony accumulation beneath ther skin, failed to help Miss Rayensberg.

Endocrine specialists then took charge of the case, and a series of metabolism tests were made.

A hormone of the parathyroid gland, which governs the amount of calcium in the tissues, was prescribed, although physicians were hesitant, as it was known to rob the bones of calcium, their most essential element.

To counteract this a diet of milk, orange juice and other foods rich in lime content was ordered.

This seemingly paradoxical treatment had the desired effect, and physicians have told the girl, who four months ago was slowly turning to stone, that she can again go to work.

The only trouble, according to the girl, is that she can't find a job.

Nail in Dam Marks River's Water Level

Riverton, Ind. — Thirty-seven years ago, Dave Taylor, veteran ferryman, drove a large nail in the Wabash river dam here when the river reached its lowest level.

During the dry seasons in the past 25 years Taylor has compared the river's level with that of 1897. The best he was able to do was to feel the nail under water.

Recently Taylor went to the dam and saw the nail. He said the water would have to drop only one-half an inch to reach the 1897 level.

Old Sam's Advice

By E. L. GILL

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THE flower caught Bill Holland's eye. Blooming there so whitely in the stagnant waters of the swamp. He grasped old Sam Matthias by the shoulder and pointed it out. Old Sam grunted in noncommittal fashion.

Young Bill had not been a cheerful companion to Old Sam on this last trip and Old Sam was showing his disappointment. Young Bill, for his part, was both definitely disappointed and irritated with Old Sam. He had come to the mountain shack of the old guide, seeking sympathy and help in the major crisis of his twenty-two years. But Old Sam was bored.

The old man's attitude deepened Bill's resentment toward the world in general—and Betty in particular. The entire trouble, of course, was Betty. It was an ancient story that Bill told Old Sam—a story of the magnificent love of a boy for a girl, the boy imbued with the idealism of the age of chivalry hopelessly, fantastically in love with a fascinating bit of a girl suddenly irked by the restraint of old-fashioned standards and "out to find what life is all about."

It was not, Bill often told him, that he had any desire whatever for the young lady's affection any longer. The maddening thing was that he couldn't rid his heart and mind and soul of her.

"I wouldn't know what to say to that, son," Old Sam condescended once or twice during the day. Nothing more. And when night had settled and they sat on the porch of the mountain shack Old Sam talked of trout.

"I'm going to bed," the youth said.

"Got a little somethin' I'd might like to do tonight, been a thinkin' of that flower we saw back there in the swamp today. Somethin' sort of queer about that. Don't hanker much for sleep myself and have a mind to take the lantern and have a look. Better come along, you'll sleep the better for it."

The swamp was little more than a ten minute walk along the trail. Old Sam, boots drawn to his hips, led the way, carrying the lantern. The youth followed, flashlight in hand. At the edge of the water they stopped and, at Old Sam's direction, Bill searched the surface of the swamp until the flashlight caught the white flower.

"I'm a bit curious about that flower, Bill; I'm a-goin' to get it out and take it back to the shack; looks to me like a lily," and Old Sam started into the swamp, sinking knee-deep in the mire.

"It's some sort of a lily, sure as you live, son," he called back.

Back in the shack Ma Matthias rustled an old bucket, grumbling the while at "these consarn fool notions." Bill was dispatched to fill the bucket with clean rich earth and Old Sam set to work to replant his lily, talking the while in quiet, soothing tones, as he might have to a sick wayfarer.

"Brave little lady—had a right tough time of it out there in that swamp, I reckon.

"Can't figure out how you come to be in such a vile smellin' place—mighty bad company you was in.

"There she is now, Ma, good as new—and ain't she a beauty! Reckon she feels a lot better, too—suspect if she could talk she would be a-tellin' us that she's mighty happy to get out of that swamp."

But Old Sam got no further with his monologue. Young Bill Holland was dashing out through the open doorway of the shack.

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Betty was dancing lightly from table to table, regaling the party with a song. Bill stood, unnoticed, watching. He waited until Betty's solo dance brought her close to where he stood. As she whirled, he caught her upraised arm in a biting grip. A youth rushed forward to resent the indignity. Bill's fist caught the point of his chin.

The merry-makers confronted Bill en masse at the doorway, denouncing him in shrill outbursts. Meanwhile, Bill was delivering eloquent if disjointed references to poisonous weeds and filthy water.

Betty was a subdued young lady. The first flush of fiery indignation passed as quickly as it came. It may have been an expression on Bill Holland's face; it may have been something else.

She was quite ready to go to the car with Bill. Meekly, she allowed herself to be led up the steps of the recorder's home. Meekly, too, aided by Bill's gruff promptings, she answered the necessary questions.

When they were again in the roadster and Bill had pocketed the document given him by the recorder, Betty laid her head on Bill's shoulder and woman-like, cried great warm tears. Now, for the first time since he left Old Sam Matthias' shack far up in the hills, Bill's clenched jaw relaxed.

Far up in the hills Ma Matthias was again reminding old Sam that he had to go to the swamp after breakfast. Ma was a practical soul and saw no sense in paying that florist down in town a dollar and a half for a potted lily and then leaving the pot buried in that dirty swamp.

But old Sam was sleeping peacefully.

Insulate Farm Buildings

More and more, farmers are beginning to realize the importance of temperature and humidity control in farm buildings, says the Philadelphia Record. Insulating board, installed at low cost and applied directly over the interior walls, helps correct unsatisfactory conditions. As a lining it conserves animal heat in dairy barns, stables, brooder houses and laying houses. It is also useful as an insulator in ice and milk houses, and for various other purposes.

OPIUM SMOKING IN U. S. ON INCREASE

Federal Agents Alarmed by Sudden Spurt.

Washington. — Opium smoking, which in recent years has declined in the United States, is showing an "alarming increase," the narcotics bureau of the Treasury department revealed.

Seizures of smoking opium by federal agents last year totaled 748 pounds, or twice as much as in 1932, the bureau reported. Officials made no secret of the fact that they view the development with alarm.

Practically all the prepared opium seized, the records disclosed, came from China, and appeared to be mostly a blend of the Chinese and Persian product.

The heaviest seizures were on the Pacific coast, in the Hawiaan islands, and in the Philippines, nearly all of the drug coming to these areas by ship from the Far East.

On the Pacific coast the most popular brands were found to be "Cheong" and "Yick Kee"; in the Hawaiian islands, "Lam Kee" and "Lo Fook Kee," and in the Philippines, "Lion," "Dragon" and "Tongee"—all identified by federal agents as originating in the Far East.

The price in the illicit traffic remained about the same as in 1932, but officers said it was due to the increased demand taking up the additional supply believed to be available.

Although the opium traffic has increased, government officials reported decreases in the seizures of heroin and cocaine.

Most of the heroin smuggled into the country came from French ports, while the cocaine seized was of Swiss origin.

Officials also reported a disconcerting development in a number of the states caused by the increasing use of Indian hemp, or "marihuana."

There is an extensive wild growth of the plant in Arizona, Colorado, New Mexico, Texas, Utah and Wyoming. Federal agents found that in sugar beet states many field laborers secretly plant marihuana patches and sell the product, or use it personally.

The drug is most commonly used in the form of cigarettes, selling generally from 15 to 25 cents each. It is also mixed with beer or other beverages.

NEW SUBSTANCE TO KILL CANCER CELLS

Important Discovery Made by Vienna Doctors.

Vienna.—The antidote of cancer, a substance which dissolves and kills the cancer cells or microbes, has been found by Vienna scientists working under the guidance of Dr. Adolf Edelmann, director of the Vienna Cancer Research institute, founded by the late American millionaire, S. Canning Childs.

Dr. Edelmann and his associates have produced from human cancerous tissues an organic substance which dissolves cancer cells just like the "bacteriophage" dissolves the bacilli of its own kind.

"Bateriophage," or bacterium-eater, discovered by the French bacteriologist d'Herelle, is a special type of cell produced only by organisms attacked by a contagious disease. The bacterium eaters can be found in the blood of diseased persons and they are believed to constitute a sort of counter-attack of the organism on the disease germs.

The "bacteriophage," however, can also be produced artificially in a "culture" of bacteria. This fact became of tremendous importance, as it enabled bacteriologists to prepare serums against various contagious diseases.

Now Dr. Edelmann and his colleagues, of whom the most prominent is the professor of Vienna university, Dr. Fritz Silberstein, claim to have found the "bacteriophage" of cancer. They named it "Autolysat" or "self-solvent" because it could not yet be proved whether or not a cancer-bacterium exists at all. But whether cancer cells are containing parasitic microbes, or are just diseased cells of the human organism, "Autolysat" dissolves them and prevents the growth of new cancer cells.

Perfect X-Ray Is Hot Enough to Make Jewels

London.—An X-ray machine ten times more powerful than any other in the world is nearing completion at the Davy-Faraday laboratory of the Royal institution, London. It will have a power of 50 kilowatts, or nearly 70 horse power.

This apparatus will be used for "high-speed X-ray analysis." It will show exactly how the innermost atoms of materials are arranged.

One of the mysteries which has been solved by "X-ray analysis" is that of the permanent wave. Beauty specialists found various methods to produce the waves, but even scientists did not know why they were "permanent."

Now X-rays have shown that when the waving specialists have finished with a girl's head the arrangement of the billions of atoms in each hair has been completely changed.

This new machine will be able to produce rays of heat so intense that if trained on a block of steel several feet thick they will instantly burn through it.

Artificial diamonds could also be produced by training the heat rays on carbon; and rubies made from aluminum oxide.

Easy Cure for Insomnia Is Just Stop Thinking

London.—A sure cure for insomnia is to stop thinking.

And to stop thinking, according to to Lilias MacKinnon, a well-known British educationist, it only needs a little practice.

McKinnon said:

"With practice one can learn to stop thinking altogether. The way to do it is to relax the muscles of the face, including the muscles of the eyes, and gradually all thought will drift away.

"You will have a feeling of delightful drowsiness and you will be able to fall asleep at will and at any time. This is a certain cure for insomnia."

China Used Colored Trademark

Because buyers often identify trade marks by color, China has ruled that shades must be shown in all trademarks submitted for registration.

Insect Damage Is Fought in Winter

Stored Seed Grain Should Be Protected From All Bugs; Treat in Bins.

By C. H. Brannon, Extension Entomologist, North Carolina State College.—WNU Service.

Carbon disulphide or carbon tetrachloride may be used effectively to kill insects in stored grain this winter. A barrel or other container which can be made air tight will be suitable, then fasten two thicknesses of heavy wrapping paper on the barrel top. If the seed is heavily infested, a full cup of the disulphide or tetrachloride may be used.

After two or three days examine the seed. If any insects are still alive, repeat the process. The seed should be kept in air-tight containers until ready to plant, or insects will reinfest it. When ready to plant, spread out on the floor and the gas will evaporate in a short time.

Storage bins may be used to treat seed in large quantities if the bins are fairly air tight. Twenty pounds of the disulphide will be enough for each 1,000 cubic feet of space in the bin. After pouring it on the seed, cover with sacks to help hold in the gas. The treatment should be applied in the middle of the day when the temperature is warmest.

Air slaked lime may also be used in treating grains for insects. In treating quantities of seed, equal parts of lime and seed may be used. For small amounts, the ratio of lime should be larger than that of the seed.

Drouth Corn Not Likely to Hurt Farm Live Stock

There is little danger of poisoning live stock by feeding drouth-damaged cornstalks if samples tested at the college of agriculture, University of Illinois, are typical of corn throughout the country, says Dr. Robert Graham, chief in animal pathology and hygiene.

Innumerable inquiries have been received by the University of Illinois pathological laboratory relative to the possible poisonous properties of drouth corn, as well as sudan grass, and apparently many stockmen are afraid to feed either of these roughages.

Of the many samples of suspicious drouth corn that have been tested in the laboratory, not a single specimen has proved to be poisonous, Doctor Graham said. Although it is known that sorghum plants can develop fatal amounts of hydrocyanic acid under arrested growth, the danger in the case of corn seems to be rather doubtful.

The poisonous properties of sudan grass have also been recognized during certain stages of growth, but here again bona fide evidence of injury when fed to live stock was not obtained in one instance.

Illness which may be mistaken for food poisoning is sometimes caused by too sudden change in rations, Doctor Graham points out.

Big Wheat Crop in Canada

The 1934 wheat crop of Canada is officially estimated at 277,304,000 bushels. This is an increase of about 7,000,000 bushels over the unrevised estimate for 1933, but is considerably lower than the average for recent years. Previous to 1933 the smallest Canadian wheat crop in the last ten years was 304,520,000 bushels in 1929; the highest was over 566,000,000 in 1928. The low 1934 production is due mainly to unfavorable climatic conditions in large areas of the western provinces where most of Canada's wheat is grown. The average wheat yield an acre for Canada in 1934 is placed at 11.6 bushels, compared with a long-time average of 17.1. The estimated production of other principal grains in Canada shows an increase over the previous year. Oats are up about 37,000,000 bushels, barley up about 5,440,000 bushels, rye up about 2,200,000 bushels, and flaxseed up about 460,000 bushels.

Dairy Barn Ventilation

We frequently fail to realize that a dairy cow throws off from one to two gallons of water in 24 hours. Consider the amount of moisture produced in the barn by a herd of 20 or more cows, and the great need for proper ventilation and insulation becomes apparent. If this moisture is not carried off it makes a damp and unhealthy atmosphere, greatly lowering the production and disease resistance of the herd, thus increasing their susceptibility to ever present infections.

Lowest Places in World

The shores of the Dead sea are the lowest places in the world not covered by water, being about 1,300 feet below sea level. The air is substantially denser there than elsewhere. A scientist reports that Dead sea air averages about 6 per cent more oxygen than average air, together with similar increases of carbon dioxide and other gases.

A WHISPERING CAMPAIGN is telling the story of ½ OFF on EXTRA ELECTRICITY

"WHY I LEFT THE PORCH LIGHT ON ALL NIGHT."

And my, how this lady worried about it. But it wasn't worth worrying about because with ½ Off on Extra Electricity, a 60 watt lamp will burn 24 hours for 1¢.

"YOU KNOW I DID A LOT OF WASHING LAST MONTH."

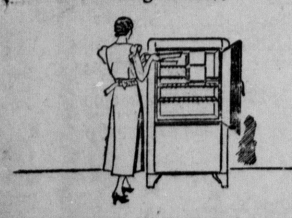
Now this lady took us at our word—that ½ Off on EXTRA Electricity was cheap electricity. She ran her electric washer 22 EXTRA hours in December, and although she couldn't notice it, her bill was only seven cents higher for all that extra service from her electric washer.

"JACK SAT UP TO ALL HOURS STUDYING."

Then, too, Jack had one of the new Better Sight study lamps with a 200 watt globe. His studying was made easier and he got better grades in all his subjects. It was certainly worth that penny a night for better sight with ½ Off on Extra Electricity.

"THE HOUSE WAS A MESS AFTER CHRISTMAS."

What house isn't quite messy after the tree is taken down! Then out comes the vacuum cleaner to get rugs and furniture, walls and drapes, all spick and span again. An extra thorough job can be done this January with the low cost ½ Off EXTRA Electricity. 22 hours of electric cleaning for 10¢.



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Yes, indeed, the good word is getting around fast. ½ Off on EXTRA Electricity is a genuine bargain.

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GROWERS UPROOTING PRUNE ORCHARDS NEAR HERE

With value of prunes far less than when the trees were set out many years ago, prune growers in the Mission San Jose and Irvington districts are in several cases uprooting their orchard to make way for what they consider more profitable crops under the modern system

Largest among orchards thus cleared away is one on the Driscoll place near Mission San Jose. Several thousand tree are being pulled up. Orchards on the Grimmer place were taken out several months ago.

Apricot growers, on the other hand, with more solid faith in their produce in spite of several profitless years, for the most part are keeping their orchards intact and well-cared for. This year replacement trees, demanded by growers for planting this winter, are scarce. Local nurseries are hard put to meet the demand for first grade root stock.

County Crews Repair Streets Here Monday

Niles' side and back streets were repaired early this week by county crews. The major portion of the work was done on J treet, where oiled shoulders were laid down to eliminate numerous chuckholes and puddles. Breaks and holes in the pavement on Second street were repaired,

Since the assumption of First street care by the state highway system, county work on that thoroughfare has been stopped.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Number 60069—Department 4

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned Administratrix of the Estate of CORNELIUS T. DRISCOLL also known as C. T. DRISCOLL, deceased, to all persons having claims against said decedent to, within six months after the first publication of this Notice, either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, or exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, to me at the Law Office of Thos. J. Power, Irvington, Alameda County, California, which place the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

ANNIE J. DRISCOLL

Administratrix of the Estate of CORNELIUS T. DRISCOLL also known as C. T. DRISCOLL, deceased.

Dated January 2, 1935.

Thos. J. Power, Irvington, Alameda County, California, Attorney for said Administratrix.

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NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

The regular meeting of the stockholders of The Bank of Alameda County, a corporation, will be held at the office of the bank at Alvarado, Calif., on Saturday, January 12, 1935, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors of the corporation and transacting such other business as may come before such meeting.

J. R. BLACOW, Secretary.

Dated: December 21, 1934. D27;J3-10

Arts, Crafts Guild Meets Next Tuesday

Members of the Arts and Crafts Guild of Washington township will hold their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Shinn next Tuesday evening. Time for the meeting is 7:30 p. m., members said.

At the last meeting officers reported that a number of new members had been taken into the group, and new sub-groups planned for photography and fiction writing.

Officers of the organization state that anyone in Washington township who is interested in creative work in any of the arts, and who wishes to join the group, will be welcomed to the meeting.

Personal Items

Mrs. E. Macarthy, Miss Elsie Macarthy, Mrs. Madge Voyer and the latter's two daughters were guests of Mrs. Rosalie Donovan on New Year' Day.

Judge J. A. Silva is recovering from a slight relapse suffered late last week. He had been ill all the week before.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Marble and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wiseman attended a New Year's eve dancing party in Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martinelli, daughter Florence and son Lawrence were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Di Mattei, in San Francico on Tuesday.

Mrs. M. L. Fournier spent Monday in San Jose.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Silveria entertained members of their family at New Year's dinner. Mrs. Silveria's sister and mother were among the guests.

George Bertel, Safeway manager, spent New Year's eve in Oakland. He attended a midnight show. On New Year's day he was a wedding guest in Oakland.

Ed Martin and his sister, Adelaide Martin, were hosts to a large number of their friends at a New Year's eve party here Monday night.

Gilbert Scott and Lawrence Bunting, students at University of California agricultural school at Davis, will leave Niles next week to resume their studies. Among other local students to take up their work again for the spring sesssion will be the Misses Estelle Mae Martenstein and Muriel Fournier, University of California co-eds, and Miss Patricia Duffy, Stanford student.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Martin were among guests Friday night at a duck dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hellwig, at Alvarado.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hatch were hosts to a number of their friends at a dinner party Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Steele, of San Francisco, and Mr. and Mrs. H. Steele, of Sutter Creek, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Blacow.

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Afternoons—
From 2:30 to 5.

Evenings—
From 7 to 9.

MRS. EMMA MURRAY
Librarian.

CHAMBER HAS FINAL MEET OF 1934 MONDAY NOON

Meeting for the last time in 1934, the members of the Niles Chamber of Commerce gathered Monday noon to shoulder their current projects into the new year with a will. Foremost in the discussion was the First street planting scheme.

W. B. Kirk, committeeman on the project, stated that C. M. Myrick, railroad company official, will have a crew repair the fence, preparatory to the planting. Kirk will secure the privet cuttings, which will be set out under the supervision of Frank Nunes. Rains delayed start of the work last week.

Dr. E. C Grau, head of the card party committee, stated that the affair will be held at the Veterans' Memorial building on the evening of January 22, at 8 o'clock. Proceeds of the evening will defray expense of the project.

Harvey Braun, boy scout committee head, told the civic group of progress in plans to form a south county scout council. Braun said that nothing definite was decided last week at a Hayward meeting. He declared that an attempt is being made to dispense with the paid scout executive in this district during 1935.

The Christmas tree committee was thanked for their efforts in arranging the tree this year, with special commendation going to Frank Nunes, who although not a member, is always eager to help.

Lester Duffy, member of the highways committee, stated that word had been received from authorities that no funds were available for improvements in Niles Canyon. Inasmuch as the road is a secondary one, only maintenance funds can be had. The chamber will attempt to make the road part of the primary system.

At the close of the meet it was suggested that the secretary list the chamber's accomplishments during 1934.

NEW FORD WILL BE ON DISPLAY THIS EVENING

The new Ford V-8 for 1935, creating a sensation throughout the motoring world, will be formally introduced to the people of Washington township tonight at the Dohner and Galbraith show room in Centerville.

Beginning at 7 o'clock, the Dohner and Galbraith company will hold open house. "The most talked about car in America" will be the feature of the evening.

In addition, there will be ten reels of high class talking pictures. "The Chicago Century of Progress" and "Rhapsody In Steel," two pictures that millions viewed last year. There will be short subjects as well. There will be no charge, and the public is urged to attend.

Teeter Case To Go To Superior Court

Pleading not guilty before Judge Allen G. Norris, at the Niles court house last Friday, Earl Teeter, Niles man accused of failing to stop after a minor accident, in which no one was hurt and property damage infinitesimal, was bound over to the superior court. Date for his appearance there has not been set, it was said yesterday.

Teeter, well known and highly respected in this district, was arrested recently by Constable Ebright after his car had alledgedly crashed into one driven by Paul Skanderson, who gained conderable publicity some time ago when a man riding with him was killed by a rock being thrown through the window of his car by a pedestrian.

The Teeter accident happened on a Niles canyon bridge. The rear fender on the Teeter car was slightly damaged, but no other mark was evident on the vehicle, it is said.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my deepest appreciation to my neighbors, and to the members of the Niles Fire Department for their invaluable help during the fire which recently destroyed my home, and for their considerate assistance afterward.

MRS. H. R. HUNT.

-:-ALVARADO WEEKLY NEWS-:-

SERVICES

Mass was held at St. Anne's Catholic church at 10:30 o'clock on New Year's day with the Reverend Father Falvey officiating. A mutitude attended.

NEW YEAR'S FETE

Employees of the Leslie Salt plant ushered in the New Year at a gay party at the S. D. E. S. hall on New Year's eve. A great number attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Priego and son, Manuel, motored to Fresno Monday morning They visited with Priego's sister, Mrs. Joe Pinto. They returned home with their other son, David, who has been in Fresno for two month.

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Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dingle visited with Mr. and Mrs. George Hocking. Dingle is employed at the KPO radio station in Belmont.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Taitor and son, Milstead, of Oakland, spent the New Year's holiday with John H. Ralph.

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Karl and Albert Otto, Morris Davilla and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Dutra were among those who spent New Year's day in Oakland.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jacinto entertained at a party on New Year's eve at their home here.

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Mrs. James Hunter returned home from a San Jose hospital where she was confined after an appendicitis operation.

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Mrs. Francis Luna has been ill with a severe cold. She is the new postmaster at Alvarado.

Subscribe to the Register—one

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

Subject of sermon for January 6, "God."

Sunday at 11 a. m.

Wednsday at 8 p. m.

Sunday School at 10 a. m.

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¶"here is no substitute for newspaper advertising. The radio advertisement undoubtedly produces some results. Newspaper publishers should not approach the discussion of the subject in any spirit of venom. If radio advertising is effective, if it produces results, it will endure. That is the real test of any service.

¶"But the fact remains that the radio ad cannot do the job alone. With few exceptions the advertiser who uses the radio uses it only supplementally and depends on the newspapers and periodicals to carry his real message. The radio advertisement carries to the listener a certain spirit of resentment, similar to the spirit which the patron of the moving picture feels toward the screen advertisements. The average radio listener-in knows, of course, that radio programs cannot be maintained and furnished him without advertising talk when he is listening to a favorite program.

¶"The fact that many newspapers have engaged in the broadcasting business themselves does not alter the situation as regards the desirability of newspaper advertising over other forms. It would be idle to say that newspaper advertising is the only advertising which brings results for, of course, did other forms of advertising not produce results those who spend their money for them would not continue to do so. But it remains a fact that the newspaper is the preferred advertising medium and gives the advertiser more for his money than any other form of publicity. This is not an idle statement nor a wild guess, but it is a fact proven by careful surveys and check-ups made over a long period. There is something about the influence of a newspaper going into a home which carries a prestige which no other form of advertising can possibly carry, the benefit of which the advertiser enjoys. This indefinable 'something' which goes with the newspaper is something that money cannot buy. The newspaper is an institution, an entity. It grows in the affections of its readers; it is eagerly looked for and read by all members of the family. The newspaper goes into the home because the reader invites it there.

¶THE NEWSPAPER WILL CONTINUE TO BE THE CHOICE MEDIUM OF ADVERTISERS BECAUSE IT IS ONE OF ALL OTHERS WHICH HAS PROVED ITSELF TO BE SUPERIOR."

From pen of E. P. CHASE, Publisher of Atlantic (Iowa) News-Telegram.

By Edson R. Waite
Shawnee, Oklahoma

CENTERVILLE REGISTER

CENTERVILLE CALENDAR

(The Township Register is anxious to be of real service to its subscribers in Centerville. We shall be glad to publish all announcements, reports, etc., sent in to us or given to our representatives.)

Jan. 3—S. P. R. S. I. Meet Parish Hall, 1:30 P. M.
Jan. 7—School opens.
Jan. 8—Country Club Meet, Club House, 2:00 P. M.
Jan. 15—N. S. G. W. Meet, Hansen's Hall; 8:00 P. M.
Jan. 21—Welfare No. 1 Meets
Jan. 22—Parent-Teachers Meet, Grammar School, 2:00 P. M.

Centerville Personal Items

Mr. and Mrs. George Emerson were hosts to thirty-two friends at a New Year's Eve get-together.

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Mr. and Mrs. Howard White, of Hayward, spent New Year's Eve with Centerville friends.

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Miss Mila Norris has returned to her duties at the Bakersfield library, after visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Garret Norris.

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Eugene Duterberry, ill at the Cowell Memorial hospital in Berkeley for the past several weeks will be given a blood transfusion this week, it is said. Young Dusterberry was a victim of peritonitis. It is thought that he will ultimately recover.

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Miss Bobby Stevenson was hostess to twelve of her friend at a party last Friday evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Furtado, of Centerville, entertained about twenty-five at a dinner Tuesday

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Ed. Lewis, of Santa Clara college, returned to his studies there this week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Furtado, Sr., were hosts at a New Year's party. A large number of guests attended.

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Mr. and Mrs. Anthony King and daughter, Margaret, spent the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. T. Clark.

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Little Elaine Lewis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lewis, is recovering from a recent illness

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Mr. and Mrs. Tony Enos entertained a few friends at dinner Monday night.

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Judge and Mrs. Allen G. Norris were New Year's guests of the Goolds at Carmel.

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Miss Jewel Anderson attended the Stanford-Alabama football game in the Rose Bowl at Los Angeles on New Year's Day.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter Justus, of Piedmont, spent the holiday with their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Justus.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Ferrera, of Berkeley, were holiday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Roderick.

HOME SATURDAY

Mrs. James Hunter, ill for three weeks at the San Jose hospital, was returned to her home in Alvarado Saturday in the Botelho ambulance. She is said to be well on the road to recovery.

Decoto Girl Passes At Oakland Hospital

Succumbing to tuberculosis after a long seige, Miss Dolores Vegas, 19, Decoto girl, died last Thursday at an Oakland hospital. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseps Vegas, 401 Eleventh street, Decoto. She was a native of that place.

In addition to her parents, several brothers and sisters survive.

Funeral was Saturday afternoon from the family home at Decoto, under the direction of the Chapel of Palms, Centerville. Interment was in the Centerville Holy Ghost cemetery.

Convalescents Return Home From Hospitals

Two local men, seriously ill during the past weeks are home again, friends said, after spending days in bay area hospitals.

Andrew Gronley, for whose life little hope was held several weeks ago, is now said to be improving slowly.

Captain P. C. Hansen, is rapidly recovering his health after an illness. He has been at home for some time.

Register posters—something new, different every time.

S. P. R. S. I. Meet This Afternoon At 1:30

Members of the Centerville council, S. P. R. S. I., will have their regular meeting this afternoon at the Parish hall starting at 1:30 o'clock.

Following the business session, the group will hold a whist party. Time of the latter will be 2:30 p. m.

Christmas Baby Dies Shortly After Birth

Mr. and Mrs. John Vasconcellos, formerly of Mission San Jose, are this week grieving the death of their infant son, Donald Noel, born on Christmas day. The child died late last week.

Vasconcellos, former principal at the Mission San Jose Grammar school, is now principal of the grammar school at Mt. Eden.

Planned Printing—at Township Register.

Read the ads—they're news.

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Want to be rid of rheumatisim or neuritis pain? Want to feel good, years younger and enjoy life again? Well, just try this inexpensive and effective lemon juice mixture. Get a package of the REV PRESCRIPTION. Dissolve it at home in a quart of water, add the juice of 4 lemons. A few cents a day is all it costs. If you're not free from pain and feeling better within two weeks you can get your money back. For sale, recommended and guaranteed by all leading druggists. Any druggist will get the REV PRESCRIPTION for you.

TIE; VICTORY, IS LOT OF LOCAL SOCCERITES

One tie game and one decisive victory is the record for the Centerville Athletic Club soccer team during the last two weeks.

The first game, played at Hayward against the Hayward boosters, ended two all, after spectators had disrupted the contest time and again in the second half. Leading 2 to 0 at the end of the first half, the Centerville boys lost heart under the hostile attitude of the fans. Manuel Rose, manager of the local outfit, stated that his charges should have won by at least three goals, had the game been pleasant.

Art Morris, at center forward; Manuel Soares, at half, and Jimmy Pimentel at inside right, played good ball. Manuel Gonzalves, captain, and full back, was a mainstay on defense.

On a soggy field before a good crowd last Sunday, the Centerville team came through with the best game to date to trim the San Leandro aggregation 5 to 0. Playing together, with quick and clean passing. Rose's charges were at no time in danger. Art Morris scored twice, Gonzalves twice and Martin Vierra once. Gonzalves, captain, shifted his players shrewdly. Rose was pleased with the entire team, which he said will be hard to beat again.

Sunday Centerville will meet the Sons of St. George, league leaders, at the Neptune stadium in Alameda. Time will be at 11:00 a. m. A win for the local team will mean a tie for first place.

BOY SCOUT COUNCIL QUESTION MAY BE SETTLED SOON

Final decision on just what the set-up to be adopted in the plan to create a south county Boy Scout council, will be arrived at tomorrow night at another meeting to be held in Hayward, according to scout officials here.

Harvey Braun, scout committee head, is of the opinion that the Washington, Pleasanton and Murray township units will follow the lead of Hayward and San Leandro in the matter. Braun inferred that an attempt will be made to do away with the paid scout executive in the southern region for 1935, thus effecting a considerable saving in expenditure. Whether this plan will be acceptable to the other districts will be known tomorrow.

As far as can be learned, the new council was conceived by Oakland area council officials in order that executives work could be more effectively divided between the numerous troops. It was pointed out that the number of scouts in the outlying districts has increased during the past two years. To meet the needs of the increased membership. Oakland executives found it necessary to add to the force of field men. The proposed south county council, which is to have its own field executive, will release I. P. Beesley, former executive here for full time in the city of Oakland.

It has been suggested by scouters in this district that the local troops become "lone scouts," that is, to be connected directly with the national headquarters through the scoutmaster. This connection, however, would bar boys from nearby camps, it is said.

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STOLEN CAR FOUND AT CENTERVILLE EARLY MONDAY

An automobile belonging to Andrew Garcia, Irvington gravel operator, was found stripped near the Centerville cemetery Monday morning, after it had been stolen from Garcia's garage about 1 o'clock Sunday night.

Frank Madruga, Centerville garageman and California Automobile Asociation representative, was notified of the whereabouts of the machine after it was discovered. He in turn notified Garcia. The latter stated that thieves entered his garage, took the car and drove down a long driveway to the public road without arousing anyone.

Grid Classic Lures Fans to Los Angeles

The Alabama-Standford football game, in the Rose Bowl at Los Angeles on New Year' day, attracted a number of Washington township fans early this week. Among those who made the trip to witness the intersectional classic were the following:

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Salz, Miss Flora McKeown, A. B. Peacock and Dr. and Mrs. G. S. Holeman.

About fifty people met for a family get-together at the Parish hall on New Year's Eve. A skit, "Schooldays," was staged. Cards and refreshments were enjoyed.

Want ads deliver the goods.

COUNTRY CLUB WILL HOLD FIRST 1935 MEETING MONDAY

The Country Club of Washington township will have its first regular meeting for 1935 next Tuesday afternoon at the Club house in Centerville.

Speaker for the day will be Dr. T. W. McQuarrie, president of the San Jose State Teachers college.

In addition to the address there will be a musical program arranged by Mrs. E. Dixon Bristow, music chairman.

JAMES M. NUNES NEW TEACHER AT CENTERVILLE

James M. Nunes, former Washington Union high school boy, and a graduate of both Stanford University and the University of California, was selected as instructor at the Centerville grammar school at a special board of trustees meeting yesterday afternoon.

Nunes, who will have charge of the seventh grade, is well-known in this district. He is highly recommended by the schools he attended. He will take up his duties Monday, at the start of the spring term.

The vacancy in the Centerville school staff occurred with the death of Joseph Dias, principal, last week. Thomas Maloney, vice-principal under Dias, was made principal last week.

Daughter Born To Mr. and Mrs. Santos

Mr. and Mrs. John Santos, of Centerville, became the parents of a new daughter, born last Thursday at an Oakland hospital, it was reported this week.

Mrs. Santos is said to have stated that the new arrival was scheduled as a Christmas gift, but that the stork, apparently busy for the holiday season, failed to make his scheduled rounds.

O. E. S. Members See San Jose Installation

Eighteen members of the Orient Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star drove to San Jose Saturday night to witness the installation of officers of four Eastern Star chapters in that city. Installing officer was Mrs. W. Collins, worthy grand matron.

Among officers seated was Mrs. William Mette, of Centerville, who assumed the duties of matron of the San Jose chapter.

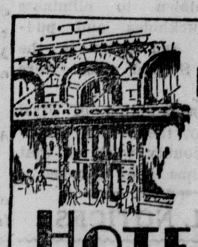
Read the ads—they're news.

FUTURE FARMER TO BE HEARD OVER AIR SATURDAY

Ray Oliveria, member of the Washington Future Farmers chapter, will be heard over station KGO Saturday, January 5, between the hours of 12 noon and 1 o'clock. Young Oliveria will speak on community projects under way at present tended by his chapter under the direction of Paul Daugherty, advisor and instructor. The program will be given entirely to the Future Farmers.

Test plots of peas, cauliflower, cover crops, and a study of fertilizers, are occupying the group here. Some surprising and important results are expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Whiteside will leave today for their home in Los Angeles after spending the holidays with Dr. and Mrs. W. L. McWhirter.



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DECEMBER 31, 1934

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CASH IN OUR VAULTS AND ON DEPOSIT WITH FEDERAL RESERVE BANK . $53,995,826.08

CASH ON DEPOSIT with banks in New York, Chicago and other cities and due from United States treasurer and cash items in process of collection $76,949,926.38

TOTAL CASH $130,945,752.46

We Own ...

SECURITIES OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT AND FEDERAL AGENCIES $360,720,694.31

STATE, COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL BONDS . . . $101,382,742.70

OTHER BONDS AND SECURITIES . . . . . $ 23,057,179.58

STOCK IN FEDERAL RESERVE BANK AND INVESTMENT IN FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION . . . . $ 3,934,790.34

TOTAL SECURITIES $489,095,406.93

WE HAVE LOANED TO OUR CUSTOMERS for use in their business and for other legitimate needs . . . $472,382,852.50

WE HAVE INTEREST due us on bonds and loans earned to the date of this statement, but uncollected, together with accounts receivable . . . . . $ 8,758,786.57

WE HOLD GUARANTEES AND SECURITIES of customers and banks, for letters of credit, acceptances and endorsed bills . $ 17,076,205.78

TOTAL DUE US FROM CUSTOMERS . . . $498,217,844.85

*BANK BUILDINGS, FURNITURE, FIXTURES AND SAFE DEPOSIT VAULTS. Carried at cost less depreciation . . . . . $ 37,306,114.78

OTHER REAL ESTATE OWNED. This is other real estate owned, but not presently used as bank premises, and real estate acquired in the settlement of debt, none of which is carried in our assets for more than five years . . . . . $ 10,696,821.91

OTHER RESOURCES including invested reserve funds, supplies inventory, mechanical equipment, deferred charges, etc. . . . . $ 1,492,526.15

Resources $1,167,754,467.08

LIABILITIES

DEMAND DEPOSITS. Funds placed with our banks by corporations, firms, individuals, banks, public officials and the United States Government (payable on demand) . $265,939,141.47

SAVINGS AND TIME DEPOSITS. Funds placed with our banks for extended periods of time by corporations, firms, individuals, banks, State of California, political subdivisions thereof and the United States Government $731,756,853.56

TOTAL DEPOSITS $997,695,995.03

CIRCULATION. Currency issued under authority of the United States Government in accordance with the National Banking Act . . . . $ 45,500,000.00

BILLS PAYABLE AND REDISCOUNTS . . None

ACCEPTANCES, LETTERS OF CREDIT, ETC., Bankers Acceptances which we have endorsed, Letters of Credit issued on behalf of customers and Customers' Drafts (not yet due) we have agreed to honor, secured by the guarantees and collateral of customers and banks listed under resources . . . . . $ 17,554,907.04

RESERVES. Represents money which the Board of Directors has set aside, out of Stockholders' funds, for contingencies, taxes, etc. . . . . $ 2,854,887.63

RESERVE for dividend. Payable January 2, 1935 $ 1,026,250.00

TOTAL LIABILITIES $1,064,632,039.70

CAPITAL FUNDS

The difference between the total resources and the total liabilities represents the banks' working capital supplied by the stockholders.

It is carried on the books as follows:

CAPITAL. Stockholders' investment . . $ 54,200,000.00

SURPLUS. Paid in by stockholders or accumulated from earnings as an added protection for depositors in the operation of the banks . . . . . $ 31,000,000.00

UNDIVIDED PROFITS. Profits accumulated and not withdrawn, but left with the bank for use in conducting its business and as an added protection for depositors . . . . $ 17,922,427.38 $103,122,427.38

Liabilities and Capital Funds . . $1,167,754,467.08

This statement includes the figures of the London, England, banking office of Bank of America, N. T. & S. A.

*423 BANKING OFFICES IN 255 CALIFORNIA COMMUNITIES

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JUNIOR CHAMBER TO CLOSE CHARTER ON MONDAY NIGHT

In preparation for the installation meeting, slated for January 21, members of the Niles Junior Chamber of Commerce will meet Monday evening at the Florence Restaurant, Niles. It is expected that more than fifty will attend.

During the past weeks,organization work has gone briskly ahead with membership growing steadily. Sam Kerns, president declared this week that the charter will be closed Monday night. He urged all who had not paid their dues to do so at once, or be prepared to pay them on Monday evening. All members and prospective members will be notified by card of the meeting. Officers of the new organization said that any young man in Niles who is interested in the group is asked to be on hand Monday, whether or not he receives notice. This, officers said, was to make up for any unwitting omissions in the list.

At the meeting on January 21, installation will be conducted by members of the Pleasanton Junior Chamber of Commerce, headed by Andrew Jorgensen. J. J. Amaral and Clyde Potvin, also of the Pleasanton group, together with Jorgensen, rendered invaluable assistance in formation of the Niles junior organization Representations from Junior chambers throughout the bay area will be on hand.

Officers elected the last meeting, to be seated on January 21 are: Sam Kerns, president; Alfred Lanfri, vice president; Paul Donovan, secretary, and Will Cavanaugh, treasurer. Members of the board of directors are Arthur Roderick, J. M. Viveiros, Louis DiGuilio, Rinaldo Cozzi, and Ralph A. Richmond.

Old papers for sale. Put up in 5c and 10c bundles. Call at Register office.

JOSEPH DIAS, 35 YEARS PRINCIPAL, DIES LAST WEEK

Stricken Suddenly While Visiting Relatives In San Francisco

Joseph Dias, 65, for thirty-five years principal of the Centerville Grammar school, and widely known in Washington township, died suddenly in San Francisco from a brain hemorrage early last Wednesday morning. He and Mrs. Dias had been visiting with relatives at 1342 Castro street in the bay city. Death came shortly after the principal had arisen.

Dias, a native of Walnut Creek, was among the first to be graduated from the old San Jose Normal School, now San Jose State College. His first activity in teaching was at the Alviso Grammar school, where he remained five years, then accepted an appointment to the principalship at Centerville, where he was active until his death last week.

Although he had spent the greater part of his life in school work in Washington township, Dias maintained his home at 266 South Seventh street in San Jose. He was well-known in school circles in that city, and often sought as a lecturer at San Jose State College.

Dias, in addition to his school work, took active part in district affairs here. He was vice-president of the Bank of Centerville before that institution was taken over by the Bank of Italy. He was still serving as a director of the Bank of America in Centerville. Fraternally, the deceased was a member of the Knights of Columbus, in which organization he had held a number of important offices. A violinist himself, Dias gave many of his school pupils their first lesson on the instrument.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Alice D. Dias, and a son, Paul Dias, principal of the Alviso school, Santa Clara county. Several brothers and sisters also survive.

Funeral services were held at Monahan's funeral parlors in San Jose Friday morning at 9:30 o'clock. A requiem mass followed at the St. Patrick's cathedral on Santa Clara street, that city. Interment rites were held at the Dias family plot in Calvary cemetery. Funeral was under direction of the Chapel of Palms, Centerville.

Members of the board of trustees of the Centerville school district, called a special meeting to name a successor to Dias as principal.

Proper selection of type, careful composition, and painstaking press work are the foundations of good printing. The Register is justly noted for all three. Let us estimate your next job. Cal. Niles 23.

Planned Printing—at Township Register.

Departure of the Townsend Family Distinct Loss to Niles

By Mrs. Norman H. Parks

Niles, in its long and eventful history, has had many vicissitudes. Industries have come, flourished, and gone; businesses have opened up to flying starts and faded away; brick blocks have been built in times of prosperity to lie idle for months with the depression, but last week an event befell our community which in retrospection assumes the proportions of a calamity.

The Townsend family moved out of Niles.

Although we were stunned by the announcement, and feel that literally hundreds in the immediate locality have experienced the shock with us, the full force of the loss will be realized only with the passing years.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Townsend settled in Niles about ten years ago with their two small children; and because Niles did not have at that time, so we have heard, such a savory reputation as a community in which to bring up a family, they set about to make it so.

When we first set up our lares and penates with the Register, the Boy Scouts, for instance, were a wild and wooley bunch of scrapegraces, from all reports. But with J. Earl Townsend as their leader a mighty change took place. When the scouts acquired the old red building just west of the Register office, practically everyone in town commiserated with us on having that bunch of untamed mustangs next door to us. Our property would be wrecked, our peace of mind destroyed, our rest broken; in fact, trouble would become our daily portion.

What a pleasant surprise was ours! The Boy Scouts proved to be charming neighbors and it was with real regret that we saw them move away.

Many evenings, we have stood on our balcony looking down into that room of boys of all ages and sizes, apparently busy with their troop affairs, intent and earnest, learning to love and understand the beauty of their ritual, through the able training of the leader who never failed them.

J. E. Townsend was always there aiding, advising, directing; holding before the eyes of boyhood the torch of a splendid young manhood.

Under his guidance, the Niles Scouts developed into one of the finest troops in Alameda county and from its ranks, have stepped some of the highest ranking scouts in California.

During this same period of time Mrs. Townsend was not idle. Eight years ago, she organized the first circle of Camp Fire Girls in Washington township. Practically alone for years she carried the burden—not only being the guardian of the campfire, but directing the activities of raising funds for the upkeep of the work and the assurance of the summer camp. Many times she was obliged by her own personal efforts to make up the sum total of a growing deficit.

From that small beginning the work has grown until Mrs. Townsend, because of her imminent departure, passed into the keeping of other hands, four spendid groups of girls and the auxiliary group of Camp Fire mothers.

Not allowing her personal duties, which she never neglected, to interfere with the advancement of the Camp Fires, this little "half-pint" guardian (as she was affectionately called) opened her home at all times to her girls and in it gave them the love, sympathy and understanding of their peculiar problems so precious to awakening girls.

She mothered all of them and they loved and trusted her in return, coming to their guardian with their troubles, in some instances, rather than to their mothers, fearful of being misunderstood.

But just these two especially near and dear phases of young peoples' work were not the only activities of our forward looking citizens. They were busy members of church and Sunday school; Parent-Teathers Association; Chamber of Commerce; in fact, every organization which had for its objective the upbuilding of the locality.

One group's loss is the communities' loss, and, although we congratulate Campbell, where they have set up their new home, our hearts are sore and heavy over the departure of the Townsends.

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Will You Be Our Guest?

Thursday evening, 7 P. M., January 3rd, we are holding Open House at our building, Centerville, for the purpose of showing
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By ANNA BETTENCOURT

CLARISSE HIRSCH AND JAMES FISCHER WED SUNDAY

Miss Clarisse Caroline Hirsch, Irvington girl, was quietly wedded at her home Sunday to James Fischer, of San Francisco. They received many wonderful presents. They departed for San Francisco Sunday evening and for Bakersfield on Monday where they will make their home.

HONORED

A shower was given here Friday by Mrs. Ed Hirsch in honor of Miss Clarisse Hirsch.

Jack and Joseph Garcia, of Oakland, visited here Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Mederias and family.

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Mr. Jim McHugh, of San Francisco, visited here with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wehren over the week end.

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A number of Irvington people attended the dance at the Garden of Allah New Year's eve.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Simpson entertained their daughter last Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Perry spent New Year's eve in San Francisco with Mr. and Mrs. George McCarte.

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Mr. and Mr. Lucio Campos and family motored to Hanford one day last week and visited with Dr. Raoul Campos and his mother, Mrs. L. Campos.

Circus Costume Party In Honor of C. Wehren

A circus costume party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wehren New Year's eve. It was given in honor of Kael Wehren who celebrated his twentieth birthday. A host of friends attended.

Miss Elsie Costa and Frank Brown motored to San Jose Sunday.

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Several Irvington people attended the reunion of the Castle clubs in Oakland Sunday.

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Mrs. Iva Calderia, of Hayward, spent the week-end with Mrs. Mae Raymond.

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Miss Lorraine Leal, of Oakland, spent the holidays here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Leal.

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Miss Jeanne Slater, of Oakland, spent everal days of last week with Miss Evelyn Pond.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tribble, of Daly City, were week-end visitors here with Mr. Tribble's brother Bob Groat.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Raymond and family spent New Year's eve in San Leandro with Raymond's relatives.

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PLEASANTON DROPS SECOND CONTEST TO NILES

Leading 2 to 1 at the end of the first inning Sunday, the Pleasanton baseball team suddenly found itself in hot water when Niles scored five runs on three bunts and three hits in the second canto. The outcome was assured after that. Final score was Niles 12, Pleasanton 3.

Duke, on the mound for Niles for the whole contest allowed only 8 hits and three runs. He struck out 14. Ed rose led the hitters with four for five. Clarence Pine and T. Duarte were close behind with 3 hits in 5 trips. Bally Pine and Ray Duarte did some nice defensive work.

Silva and Govner led the hitters for the losers.

The concluding game of the three-game series will be played here Sunday.

Niles box score:

	AB	R	H
Raso, ss	6	2	3
L. Pine, rf.	5	1	2
G. Mederios, 1b.	5	0	0
C. Pine, 2b.	5	2	3
Fields, c	5	0	1
Ed Rose, 3b	5	3	4
T. Duarte, cf	5	2	3
R. Duarte, lf.	4	1	2
Duktra, p.	4	1	1
Total	44	12	19

GRACE MOORE IS HUGE HIT WITH "NIGHT OF LOVE"

Postponing two first run pictures, "The Case of the Howling Dog" and "What Every Woman Knows," the Hayward theatre has made way for one of the years best, Grace Moore in "One Night of Love," starting tonight for a three day run.

On Sunday and Monday the feature will be "Evelyn Prentice" with Myrna Loy and William Powell.

"The Case of the Howling Dog" with Warren William and "We Live Again" with Frederick March and Anne Sten are the pictures for Tuesday and Wednesday, January 8 and 9.

A great musical picture, "Flirtation Walk" with Ruby Keeler, Dick Powell and Pat O'Brien comes for two days starting next Thursday. "Gift of Gab" with Edmund Lowe and Ruth Etting is the second attraction.

Read the ads—they're news.

Jones' Entertain 16 At New Year's Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Jones were hosts to sixteen friends at a bridge dinner on New Year's eve.

The following were guests: Mr. and Mrs. Milton Wilder, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Blacow, Mr. and Mrs. George Bonde, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Petsche, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Ebright, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Ebright, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Ellsworth and Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Walpert.

Milton Wilder and Mrs. Edna Ebright were first prize winners. George Bonde and Mrs. E. A. Ellsworth were awarded the consolation prizes.

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Bollocks Entertain At New Year's Eve Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Bollock entertained at a no host party on New Year's eve, for about forty guests from San Francisco, Oakland, Antioch and Pleasanton.

The home was decorated for the occasion and music was furnished by a Hawaiian orchestra. At midnight, a delicious dinner was served.

Mary Hughes, who is attending the San Francisco State Teachers' College, spent the week-end at the home of her uncle, W. J. Hughes.

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Don Laughlin's family, of Hayward, visited him over the week-end.

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Mr. and Mrs. Roraback and family spent Christmas in Santa Cruz, where they visited relatives.

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Mr. and Mrs. West, and Mr. and Mrs. Ebright attended the funeral of Mr. Bangs, who is Mrs. West's uncle, in Berkeley on Monday.

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Mr. W. Randall has resumed his work at his service station. Bud Trimingham, of Pleasanton, had been operating the station, while W. Randall was recovering from an operation.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Burke, of Hayward, were visitors in Sunol over the week-end.

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Miss Martha and Mr. Henry Trimingham returned to their homes in Sunol on last Wednesday, after spending the Christmas holidays at the home of Mrs. C. Lawrence, in San Mateo.

Sunol Boy Scout On San Francisco Trip

The Sunol troop of Boy Scouts motored to San Francisco in the school bus, driven by George Roraback, on Monday. They went through the Western Pipe and Steel Works on a tour of inspection.

Ernest George and son and daughter, of Newman, visited Mr. and Mrs. Shultz on Sunday.

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Mrs. Ziegenfuss and Mrs. Henry of Pleasanton, visited at the home of Miss Molly Buttner on Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Rankin and son, George, were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson, in Pleasanton, on New Year's Day.

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Mrs. L. Jones and Miss Patterson, of San Jose, visited Mrs. Hoag last Wednesday.

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Miss Martha and Henry Trimingham were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Trimingham, in Pleasanton, on New Year's day.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Hoag and Don Calahan, of Oakland, visited Mrs. Hoag on Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. Buttner, of Oakland, visited at the home of Miss Molly Buttner, on Sunday.

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Mrs. Hoag was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Hoag, in Berkeley, on New Year's day.

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Warren MacCarthy, of Santa Cruz, is visiting this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roraback and family.

Scouts Enjoy Feed Last Thursday Night

An enthusiastic group of Niles Boy Scouts, committeemen, and officials, enjoyed the first wienie bake at the scout house last Thursday evening since the reorganization of the troop several months ago.

The menu, supplied by the committee and scoutmaster, consisted of hot dogs, cookies and chocolate.

The "feed" followed the regular troop meeting.

"Friends, Romans, Countrymen"

"Friends, Romans, Countrymen, lend me your ears," etc., are the words beginning an oration by Antony in Scene two, Act three, of "Julius Caesar," written by William Shakespeare.

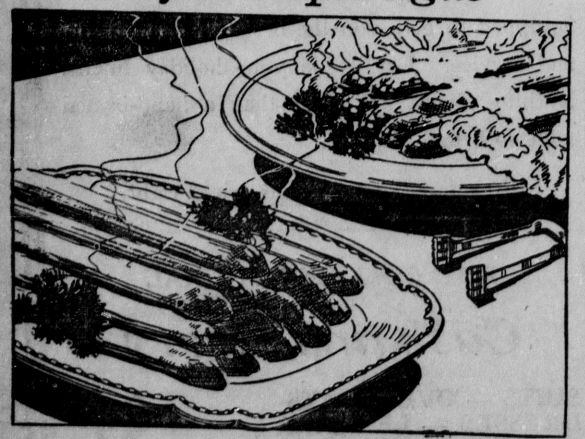
DRIVERS URGED TO RENEW THEIR LICENSES NOW

"When you make application for your new license plates this year, look at your driving license to be sure it has not expired."

Such was the warning of John A. McGilvray, motor vehicle department official, last week to motorists about to seek their new 1935 plates. He added that it would be the policy to the department to require all persons caught driving on the public highways with expired licenses to take an entirely new examination.

The warning and advice is part of a concerted attempt to round up some 350,000 persons now driving in the state without licenses or with licenses that have expired.

Perfect Asparagus



WOMEN prefer asparagus—like promises—unbroken. It takes a lot of care to keep both intact.

Did you ever see asparagus being shipped from California? There are crates and crates of strange boxes inside the cars. Pyramid-crates is the name for them and they are made in that unusual shape to fit the asparagus which tapers at the top. Each bunch of asparagus is wrapped in a blanket of wet moss for further protection.

Try It

And did you ever try to cook it without breaking a single tip? One way is to put the bunch in the bottom of a double boiler, add the boiling water and then invert the top of the boiler over the tips, so that the steam cooks the tips and boiling water cooks the tougher stalks.

Tender canned asparagus is a favorite with women because it holds an unbroken record of unbroken asparagus. It can be heated right in the can, and when opened every tip is as correct as the finger tips of milady who has just come from her manicure. Served in salads, or hot with butter sauce, or in a delectable au gratin dish, this is indeed asparagus with distinction.

Drifting about among dinner parties you may have had occasion to ply the new asparagus lifters. They are the last word in the exacting demand of women that their asparagus remain to the last—unbroken.

What's In a Name?

By GRACE WORTHINGTON

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SCOTT MORGAN stared at the telegram before him. It was from his assistant, Tom Haddon, dated Washington:

MARRIED THIS MORNING STOP SWELL IDEA STOP WHY DON'T YOU TRY IT STOP NOT INTERFERING WITH MY ASSIGNMENT.

So that was why Haddon had been so anxious for the Washington assignment. He remembered vaguely Tom's girl lived in Washington. There had been a misunderstanding: Tom had gone around scowling for days and smoking countless cigarettes.

Well, thank heavens, that Sylvia Ralston affair had taught him his lesson! His first year in New York, too. He had been mad about her; worshiped her. And all she wanted was his influence as a reporter. Well, he had come through for her. Rotogravures; newspaper and magazine articles glorified her. She got her big break . . . and coldly discarded him. Funny he should be thinking about her now. But how could he help it? Today's papers had chronicled her third marriage.

At least Tom's girl was sincere; she had complained because Tom had taken out another girl when he was engaged to her. It must be wonderful, Scott thought, for a girl to hold an engagement so sacred.

Mary Sanders came back from lunch and hung her hat on the rack just outside his door. He gave her a curt nod; it was almost rude, she thought. She went into her own cubby-hole of an office next to his, banging the door after her.

"All settled," Scott heard her say. "I'm changing my name."

Leslie Miller stopped her typewriting. "But you weren't at all sure you'd do it this morning!"

"I know, but Doctor Urbanic convinced me at lunch time."

"You seem pretty unenthusiastic," Leslie observed, "for a girl about to change her name and with it the whole destiny of her life. Don't you like the new name, Mary?"

"No!" There was utter distaste in her voice.

"Then, dear, why do it?"

"Oh, the doctor convinced me that for material and financial reasons—for social success and—"

"So!" Scott Morgan observed. "So!" Even Mary Sanders would barter her soul for material and financial reasons. Who could a fellow depend on!

Leslie Miller was saying: "But I wouldn't Mary, dear, not unless I was entirely satisfied. Hold on to your own name and wait till something better comes along. You'll get a bright idea one of these days."

"What do you mean wait till I get a bright idea?" Mary almost cried. "That's all I ever get. Doctor Urbanic says so, too! But what do I get out of it? Not even a raise! Here I plan the whole campaign that gets the new cigarette account from every agency in town—me, a mere girl! And who gets the plums for my bright ideas? Tom Haddon is sent down to Washington to do the publicity stunt that I planned. He gets a raise, too. Scott Morgan brings in the whole lay-out to the president and probably grabs all the credit."

"Mary! Why I thought you liked Scott Morgan! . . ."

At that moment Scott Morgan entered. He was flushed and furious. His red hair seemed even redder.

"I had no intention of eavesdropping, Miss Sanders." His voice was like cold steel. "But I assure you I received no bonus on your brilliant ideas. If you had been content to wait until tomorrow, the end of the month, you would have seen I recommended you for a sizable increase in salary. As for a girl changing her name for financial reasons . . . social success . . ."

"It is no concern of yours why I change my name!"

"It is my affair when you say you're changing your name because I got a bonus on your ideas. . . ."

"You're insufferable! I loathe you! I've always loathed you!" But tears were in her eyes; her hands trembled.

"And I do not exactly admire you, myself, Miss Sanders." Now his voice was a white heat. "I trust your doctor has all the virtues I lack—every advantage that—"

Leslie Miller laughed hysterically. "Mary's not getting married! She's just changing her name numerologically to get new vibrations. Doctor Urbanic is a wonderful numerologist. Why, did you know that Mark Twain never had any luck under his own name of Samuel Clemens? All the movie stars—"

"Not getting married?" Scott Morgan gasped.

"Hardly," Mary announced grimly.

"Oh, no," Leslie went on. "There's not even a marriage vibration in her name! Nothing but kindness that's not appreciated, virtue that goes unrewarded, brilliant idea that—"

"Leslie!' Mary's face was flushed. "I'm not exactly tongue-tied, and I didn't give you my confidence to broadcast to the whole office force!"

"I'm not the whole office force," said Scott Morgan with commanding authority. "I'm merely a man so in love with you that he almost went crazy when he thought you were going to marry some one else."

Leslie Miller discreetly withdrew.

Bertie Goes to the Circus

By CHET GRANT

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THE Iron Horse, plugging and chugging, achieved the crown of the last steep hill, the one that overlooks Foxboro and came to a momentary halt. Georgie Blake nodded down to his right and barked savagely, "There's your doggone circus!" Little Bertie, aged six, repressed a shriek of delight and merely grinned. Bertie was psychic. He realized that his cousin Georgie was in no mood for overtures of any kind.

Life was indeed a burning doughnut to Georgie, guiding the Iron Horse down to the circus grounds. Another perfect holiday spoiled; another positive proof that his parents were in league against his happiness; forcing him to take little Bertie to the circus when his whole being yearned to be with one Mabel Porter. His mother's parting shots still rang in his ears. "Don't you dare let anything happen to little Bertie! Don't you dare overload his stomach! Don't you let go of his hand!" Cripes! You'd think the troublesome little hellion was made of solid gold!

"C'mon," Georgie growled, climbing out of the parked Iron Horse, "And no monkey business, feller."

Who can resist a circus? Even Georgie, after an hour in the Big Top, had to admit that he was enjoying himself. But it was at the pink lemonade stand that the world took on its rosiest hue. The lemonade was served by a girl in a crisp gingham dress. She had lots of blond hair and saucer blue eyes. Georgie drank three glasses as slowly as possible, but the girl never so much as smiled at him. And right at that moment Bertie disappeared into thin air!

The three glasses of pink lemonade became a ball of ice in Georgie's stomach. He gazed frantically around and suddenly saw Bertie's suit squeezing through the crowds. With a yelp of rage Georgie set off in pursuit. Coming up behind his unsuspecting victim he scooped him into his arms.

"For two cents I'd belt you one," Georgie rapped out. "What's the idea of running away when . . ."

"You belt me, brother," a deep bass voice rumbled in the squirming bundle Georgie held, "and I'll sock you one myself!" Georgie dropped the midget as if he were a hot coal.

Wiping the perspiration from his brow, Georgie went into the throng again.

Just when he was ready to look for a policeman by some coincidence, he found himself at the pink lemonade stand again.

Wonder of wonders, the blond girl smiled at him! "I'm glad you came back," she greeted him. "Your little cousin has been helping me. He crawled under the table you know."

She handed Georgie a tall glass of the rosy liquid. "Here, cool off."

Well, she was stunning to Georgie, so he grinned amiably at Bertie, who was sticking empty bottles behind the counter. All was right with the world. Georgie ordered another glass of the cooling beverage. It was like nectar coming from her hands. He wanted to tell her something of the sort, but lost his nerve. Instead he asked for another glass, and another . . .

"You must like that stuff," she observed, frowning.

"It's swell," Georgie enthused "Like you," he dared to say.

"That's no compliment," she smiled.

"Well, anyhow," Georgie grinned. "a couple of glasses won't hurt me. I . . . uk! . . . s'cuse me."

"A couple! You've had ten." The girl led Bertie outside the stand. "You'd better get your big cousin started for home," she advised.

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Mrs. Blake was wiping the supper dishes when the telephone rang. Its summons startled her and she picked up the instrument with misgiving.

"Hel-lo. Hello, Aunt Frances. This is Bertie."

"Bertie! Why, my dear child, what . . ."

"I'm standing on a soap box, Aunt Frances. I wanted to call you up."

"Darling, how cute!"

"Yes'm."

"You're all right, Bertie?" Mrs Blake asked suddenly.

"Oh, yes'm, I'm all right. But Aunt Frances . . ."

"Yes, dear."

"Aunt Frances, I think you 'n' Uncle Charlie'd better come down here to Foxboro and bring us home."

"Bring you home?"

"Yes'm. You see, Aunt Frances, Georgie, he's awful sick."

"Bertie! What's the matter with Georgie?" Mrs. Blake trembled.

"Oh, Georgie's all right, Aunt Frances, only his stummick ain't."

"What's the matter with his stomach?"

"Well, I guess, Aunt Frances, Georgie had too much lemonade 'n' . . ."

There was a resounding crash as Bertie fell off the soap box. Mrs. Blake ran to the back of the house and called her husband. In a moment the family car rolled out of the garage and much as we would like to follow them, perhaps it is best if we draw the curtain now on Georgie's ignominious homecoming.

Must Keep Eggs Moving, Advises Poultry Expert

Producers who desire their eggs to reach the consumer in the best condition must not only give the eggs proper care while they are being held on the farm, but the eggs must be kept moving from the time they are laid until they reach the consumer, says Berley Winton of the Missouri College of Agriculture. The consumer wants eggs with a thick, jelly-like white, and an upstanding, firm yolk. Such eggs bring the most money and find the quickest sale.

Many eggs are reduced in quality while they remain in the nests. This is due to the fact that the temperature of the laying hen is normally 106 degrees Fahrenheit. If eggs are permitted to remain in nests during the forenoon when most hens lay, considerable deterioration takes place. It is a good practice, therefore, to gather eggs three to four times daily. After gathering they should be placed in a basket or exposed to the air, rather than kept in a bucket, and be permitted to cool over night before they are placed in the case. Exposure to the air will cause the body heat to escape the eggs and they will keep a longer period.

Cut Poultry Mortality

Heavy pullet mortality has long been recognized as one of the major problems for the poultryman, reports H. H. Kauffman, poultry extension specialist of the Pennsylvania State college. On many farms it has been found that 40 to 60 per cent of the pullets fail to complete their first laying year. These figures come from surveys made in several different states. The birds either die or are removed from the flocks because they are poor producers. Culls or market hens may be partially counted as mortality, as many fail in production because they do not have sufficient stamina to stand up under heavy production. There are, however, some vigorous hens that fail in production because they are by heredity poor producers.

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POULTRY NOTES

Poultry houses should be ventilated at the top.

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There are several causes for leg weakness. One of the most common is intestinal parasites.

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It is sudden changes of temperature that cause poultry roup and the removal of drafts is the best preventive.

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Most of the hens in a flock can be kept in laying until late fall, when they should be allowed to rest about six weeks.

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It is surprising what the changing of growing chicks to fresh, new, untainted ground will do for them. It seems to act as a wonderful tonic.

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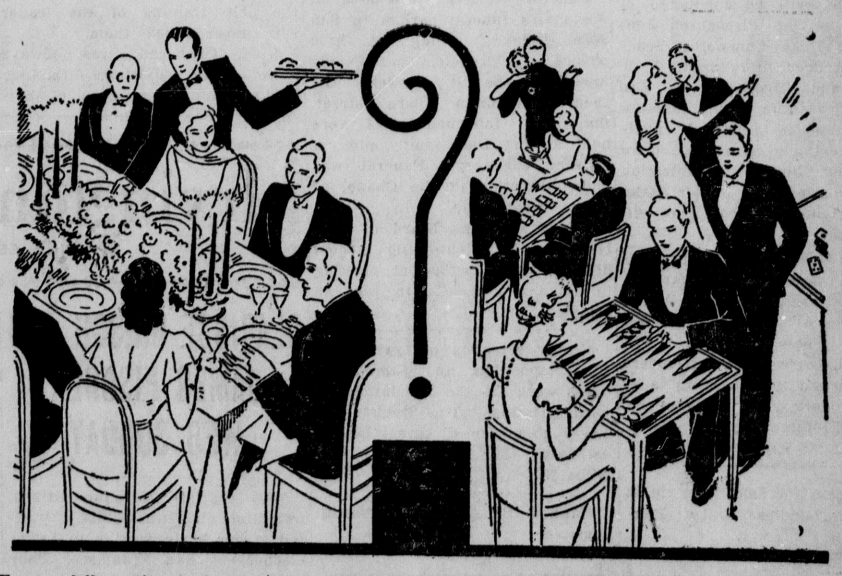
Pyrrhonism

Pyrrhonism is a term for scepticism. Pyrrho, who lived in the Fourth century, B. C., believed and taught that nothing was capable of proof and admitted the reality of nothing but sensations.

Fortunate for Us, It Don't

If the polar ice were melted the Advance of Science says that enough water would be released to raise the world's sea level 150 feet. This would bring the inundation of many coastal land areas.

What-To-Do For Winter Parties



IF your fall parties don't turn out to be a grand time for all, it isn't the fault of the shops this season. There's everything new to do, new to eat, new to drink and new ways to eat and drink them. Going through the game departments of the larger stores is more fun than a country fair—what with things to shoot, balls to roll, punch games and dice games. And even perennial bridge has new devices that all but play the game for you.

Jolly Games

Among the new games to be recommended are "Balaroo," with a spin-the-top center and ping-pong ball attachments, a new anagram game that is lively and amusing and known as "Scrambles," Eddie Cantor's deal-the-card game called "Tell It to the Judge," and another game called "Sorry" which anyone would be glad to play. Backgammon is still holding its own and comes in any kind of form you want, from the ten-cent store edition to a handsome tooled-leather set. And there are also old-fashioned parchesi sets—the kind you played on when you were a youngster—and Club Parchesi which has a board similar to a Cribbage board.

Cocktail napkins continue to be amusing. One pale green linen set has a different player in a jazz band on each napkin, while another, which comes in various colors, lists the name of a different drink in the corner of each. The new plaid gingham sets come in most cheerful colors and are very inexpensive.

You will want a list of smart new foods to serve at your very new fall parties—canapés, salads, desserts and candies. Here are some tested recipes that you will like and which your guests will remember:

Jolly Good Food

Manhattan Canapés: Toast or fry rounds of bread, then spread with anchovy paste. Cut slices of ripe tomato one-half inch thick, having the bread slightly larger in diameter. Remove seeds from the tomatoes, leaving four cavities in each slice. Place the tomato on toast and fill one cavity with seasoned caviar, the next with chopped chutney, the third with pickled onions and the last with sliced artichoke hearts. Pipe around the tomato, on the edge of the toast, a narrow band of green mayonnaise.

Shrimps Mouquin: Cook one-half cup of whole blanched almonds in one and one-half tablespoons butter very gently until a golden yellow. Add three-fourths cup celery cut in one-half inch pieces, and cook again until the celery is tender and the nuts and celery are a golden brown. Add shrimps cut in halves from a 5¾-ounce can, and cook two minutes longer. Add one-third cup cream, season to taste with salt and serve on hot fingers of toast.

Stuffed Pimola Entrée: Smooth one teaspoon flour with one-half cup cream, and bring to boiling. Add the contents of a small can of deviled ham, and stir until smooth. Wrap a piece of bacon around each of five large pimolas, and fasten with a toothpick. Fry in deep fat. Pour the deviled ham sauce on five rounds of toast and place a pimola in its bacon covering on each one.

Pineapple and Cherry Salad: Cut pineapple slices from a No. 2½ size can in halves, and place two halves on crisp lettuce leaves, with the round edges of the pineapple touching in the center. Stone two cups of ripe black cherries (or use canned pitted black cherries), and stuff with cream cheese and put an almond in each. Place on two sides of the salad, and make rosettes of mayonnaise on the other two sides.

Snowball Cakes: Cream together one-half cup butter and one and three-quarters cups sugar, add one cup diluted evaporated milk alternately with two and one-fourth cups cake flour which has been sifted with three teaspoons baking powder. Add one teaspoon almond flavoring, and fold in carefully five beaten egg whites. Bake a small amount in small muffin tins or round bottomed custard or jelly molds. Have the oven 375 degrees for about twenty minutes. Cool, cut a thin slice off the top of each cake to give a flat surface, spread with strawberry, or some other jam, and press two cakes together. Then ice the entire cake with boiled icing or with melted fondant. If you like, roll in cocoanut.

Hawaiian Fudge: Boil to 238 degrees two cups sugar, one-half cup cream, one-half cup crushed pineapple and one tablespoon butter. Tint a pale green, cool and beat until creamy. Add one-fourth cup chopped nuts, pour into a buttered pan. Cut in squares.

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By Miss Patricia Barton

Barbara Laudenslager and Patricia Barton were shopping in Oakland Monday afternoon.

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Many Newark people attended the dance at the Garden of Allah in Niles New Year's eve.

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Services were held in St. Edward's on New Year' morning.

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Swainsons' Beauty Salon Phone Centerville 117.—J10tfc

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Alton Steinhoff and William Katzer attended a New Year's barn dance in Lathrope.

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Mrs. J. Buchanan was shopping in Oakland Monday.

NEW YEAR'S PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. J. Soito entertrained the following friends on New Year's eve; Mr. and Mrs. H. Souza and son, of San Leandro; Frank Roderick, of San Mateo; Mrs. Menezes and daughters, of Pleasanton; Mr. and Mrs. J. Dias and son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. Sa, Mrs. Eva Martin and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. Miller, all of Newark.

UTAH TRIP

Mrs. T. Carver left by bus on Monday morning for Grantsville, Utah. She is a former resident of that city.

IN HOSPITAL

John Souza was taken to the San Joe Hospital last week. James Miller and Harry Zehrn visited him New Year' day.

Harry Zehrn, of Fairmont Hospital, spent New Year's day with Mr. and Mrs. J. Miller.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. Silva, of Hayward, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. A. DeValle.

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Mrs. Menezes and daughter, of Pleasanton, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. Soito.

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Lucy Dewhurst, of Newark, with Irene Wells and Kenneth Robinson, of Centerville, motored to San Francisco to spend New Year's eve with James Beveridge, Miss Dewhurst's fiance.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Trescott and family and Mrs. C. Draper visited friends in Oakland Sunday.

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Mrs. J. Buchanan attended a play at the office of the Arden Salt company, in San Francisco last Saturday afternoon. She is employed in the Newark office.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Freitas, daughter Eleanor and sons John and David spent Monday evening with friends in San Francisco.

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Donald Fuller, of Newark, and Thelma Trout, of Centerville, spent New Year' eve in Oakland.

BANQUET

Frank Freis attended a banquet given by the Swiss Alpine Society in Oakland Monday night.

Mrs. B. Laudenslager celebrated New Year's eve with a party of friends at her home.

Congregational Church News

"Our Merciful God," will be the subject of the pastor's Sunday morning sermon. In the face of the darkest tragedy, human beings still realize that the Devine Intelligence is Just. Despite countless agencies for evil in our world, we still trust God to someday bring about peaceful and beautiful relations between man and his environment, between states and nations.

Christian Endeavor will be led at the usual time of seven o'clock by Mrs. Wesley Dexter Gordon. Mrs. Gordon will also conduct choir practice from eight to eight-thirty.

Bible Theatre of the Air offers "The Pearl of Great Price," a study in values over KQW, Sunday afternoon from four to four-fifteen. You will enjoy the dramatized version of the famous parable.

S. F. RUSHES PLANS FOR BIG ASSEMBLY OF FRUIT JOBBERS

Regarded as one of the most important gatherings in the United States, since its discussions will bear directly upon the marketing and distribution of a large part of the nation's food supply, plans for the annual convention of the Western Fruit Jobbers association of America, scheduled in San Francisco January 22 to 26, are attracting widespread attention.

More than 5000 growers, shippers and receivers of fruits and vegetables are planning to attend the meeting, according to word received here from Joseph Marguleas of San Francisco, chairman of the convention committee.

-- Local News Briefs --

Mrs. Clarence Waldner, son Edwin and daughter Sally, have returned to Taft, after spending the holidays with Mrs. H. R. Hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph V. Richmond and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gomes spent New Year's eve in Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Martenstein will be host to a number of friends at dinner and bridge tomorrow night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Duffy spent New Year's eve and day in San Francisco.

Ernest Martin is recovering from an attack of influenza. He was confined to his bed early this week.

Mrs. Harry Searles, of Decoto, ill at the Merritt hospital in Oakland, is said to be improving this week.

Bert Rathbun, former Niles fire chief, was a New Year's day visitor in Niles.

Miss Marie Dony, and Mrs. H. G. Cellarius were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Bendel on New Year's day.

Night Riders Have New Year's Fete Here

One of the most gala New Year's eve parties in the south county was given at Stonybrook pavilion Monday night by an organization of local young people known as the Niles Night Riders. About fifty attended.

A huge barbecue was followed by dancing. The affair was invitational, and occasional midnight revelers, dropping in to join the celebration, were gently but effectively escorted out.

BRILLIANT TREE

Among outdoor Christmas trees in Washington township, the Decoto tree, noted this week, takes the palm for size and brilliance. In the survey of th district last week, the Decoto tree was missed.

Register posters—something new, different every time.

Mrs. George Roeding, Sr., of Piedmont, is spending the winter months at her home at the California Nursery, Niles. With her is her daughter, Mrs. M. Butler, of Honolulu, Hawaii.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Moore attended the Elk's New Year's eve jinx in Oakland.

Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Grau entertained a number of friends on New Year's eve.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hurley were guests of friends in Alameda on New Year's eve.

Lawrence Pine attended the East-West Shrine game in San Francisco Tuesday afternoon. He was accompanied by his small brother, Weldon.

HAZEL CIRCLE WILL INSTALL OFFICERS JANUARY 23

Hazel Circle, Neighbors of Woodcraft, will hold a public installation of officers in Niles on the evening of January 23, members said this week. Rites will be held in the I. O. O. F. Hall, starting at 8:00 p. m. Mrs. Dorothy Carrie, of Decoto, will be installing officer.

The district captain and team, of Fruitvale Circle, will put on the floor work.

Those to be seated are: past guardian neighbor, Miss Martha Crane; guardian neighbor, Mrs. Ida Easterday; advisor, Mrs. Helen Silveria; magician, Mrs. Laura Crane; banker, Miss Jane Smith; clerk, Miss Adelaide Martin; attendant, Mrs. Sarah Crane; flagbearer, Mrs. Mary Miller; captain of guards, Miss Ramona Mello; inner sentinel, Mrs. Alice Lucas; outer sentinel, Mrs. Rose Snyder; correspondent, Mrs. Leona Chandler; senior guardian neighbor, Mrs. Theresa Oliver; managers, Mrs. Carrie Martin, Antone Miller and Lucius Chandler.

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Grace Moore in
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Sun., Mon., January 6, 7
William Powell and Myrna Loy in
"Evelyn Prentice"

Tues., Wed., January 8, 9
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also
Frederick March and Anna Sten in
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Warm Springs

By IRMA LEAL

REUNION

A family reunion was held at the home of Mrs. M. Lawrence on Christmas day. Mr. and Mrs. J. Bispo, Mrs. M. Bispo and Mr. J. Serpa, of Oakland; Mrs. M. Corriea, and family, of Patterson; Mr. and Mrs. J. Lawrence, daughter Laverne, and Mr. and Mrs. A. Lawrence, were among the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Goularte spent Christmas with their daughter, Lena, and son-in-law in Marysville.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Vargas and daughters, Jean and Lorraine, and Mary Rodrigues were guests at the home of Mrs. M. George, of Almaden, on Christmas day.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. Escobar and family, of Watsonville, spent the holidays with Mrs. A. Escobar and family.

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Mrs. M. Brum and daughter, Eleanor, of Patterson, have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. H. Avilla.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. Mendonca and family, of Sunol; Mr. and Mrs. F. Marks, of San Jose; Mr. and Mrs. J. Marks, of Irvington; Mr. and Mrs. A. Oliver, and son, of San Jose; and Mr. and Mrs. J. Oliver were guests at the home of Mr. A. Oliver on Christmas day.

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Mrs. M. Corriea and children, Helen, Katherine, Virginia, Tony and Edward, of Patterson, have been visiting at the home of Mrs. M. Lawrence.

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Miss Delores Serpa, who has been visiting with Adeline Ambrose, has returned to her home in Oakland.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Oliver spent Thursday in San Jose.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Andrade, son Donald; Mr. and Mrs. M. Vargas, son Vernon, of Decoto; Mr. and Mrs. E. Duarte, Mr. W. Duarte, of San Jose, spent the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Duarte.

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Mrs. J. S. Brown spent Wednesday in Oakland.

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Mrs. E. Luna, of Decoto, visited here Thursday.

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Mrs. M. Duarte has been ill at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Vargas.

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Norman Luna, of Decoto, has been visiting with relatives here.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Rose, son Clarence; Mr. and Mrs. F. Enos, son Richard, of San Jose; and Mr. and Mrs. W. Smith spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. J. Lawrence.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. Avilla motored to Patterson to spend the holidays with Mrs. M. Brown.

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Mr. F. Ambrose, of Saratoga, has been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. C. Ambrose.

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Mr. M. Santos, of Modesto, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. J. Santos.

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Mrs. J. Lieitch, and son Orville, motored to Redwood City to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. O. Able.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Moore, of San Jose, were visitors here recently.

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A party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Ambrose Tuesday evening in honor of Mrs. M. Corriea, of Patterson.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. Silveria, of Hollywood, and Mr. and Mrs. W. Silveria, of San Jose, spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Silveria.

SAFEWAY STORES

Specials for Friday and Saturday, January 4 and 5

PEACHES MISS CALIFORNIA 2½ can 13c

Tomatoe Juice LIBBY'S No. 2 Can 2 for 15c

String Beans McKENZIES No. 2 cans 2 for 15c

SALMON PETER PAN PINK Tall can 9c

CLAMS GOLD DOLLAR Can 10c

CORNED BEEF LIBBY'S Can 13c

BEER BROWN DERBY Pint bottles 5c Case $1.19

SUGAR Fine GRANULATED 10 lb. paper bag 49c

MILK ALL KINDS Large cans Can 6c

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Winesaps Apples	6 lbs. 25c box $1.69	Carrots	3 bunches 5c
Lettuce	2 for 7c	Onions	3 lbs. 10c
Oranges 150 Size	doz. 19c	Bananas	3 lbs. 11c
		Klamath Potatoes	10 lbs. 17c

Peanut Butter RED MILL 15 oz. jar 15c

NAPKINS Choice of 4 colors Pkg. of 80 ..... 10c

SILK TISSUE 750 Sheets 3 rolls 10c

SOUPS HORMEL Choice of three kinds 2 for 29c

DASH SOAP POWDER 2½ lb. pkg..... 19c

COFFEE AIRWAY Fresh Ground 1 Pound 19c

PANCRUST Shortening 3 lb. can 41c

MATCHES HIGHWAY 4 boxes 15c

HONEY FLORADALE 2½ lb. can..... 25c

CHOCOLATE GUITTARDS 1-lb. can 19c

CAMAY SOAP 2 bars 9c

CORN LAKE MILLS No. 2 can..... 11c

CATSUP HIGHWAY Bottle 10c

HY-PRO Bleaching Water Quart Bottles 2 for 15c

Dog Food CALO Tall cans 2 for 15c